H.F. SEAWELL WAS EGGED

On Railroad Property and He Sued Rallroad Company.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

The Case Has Been Argued on Appea from the Award of \$4,500 Damages. Licensed to Practice Pharmacy and Veterinary Medicine.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., March 28.—Governor Aycock to-day appointed the North Carolina Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, as follows: Dr. B. L. Guffin, Concord; Dr. Tait Butler, Raleigh; Dr. MacMackin; Dr. Thomas J. Carroll, Wilmington; Dr. J. W. Petty,

vs. Carolina Central Railroad from Mooore county, was argued on apcasa. The appeal was en numerous ex-ceptions, notably a demurrer that there was not sufficient evidence for the case to go to the jury, that Beawell was not a passenger, and there was a lack of dence of participation of railroad em-

ployes in the egging.

Announcement is made that seventeen out of the class of thirty-nine applicants out of the class of thirty-nine applicants for license to practice pharmacy, who stood the examination here early in the week were successful. They were: Troy E. Auston, Smithfield; Walter C. Bateman, Wilson; David A. Bullock, Wilmington; Clement Byrd, Wilson; George V. Carwell, colored, Elizabeth City; Walter Coffee of Salesbury, Blood S. Gooffee r M. Cook, Salisbury; Richard S. Gorter M. Cook, Sallsbury, Richard S. Gor-ham, Rocky Mount; William Pooch Smithfield; Jabez K. Hollowell, Wilson; John B. Lewwyn, Wilmington; Thomas R. Pemberton, Greensboro; Richard L. Seagle, Hendersonville; William H. Shuggs, Albemarle; William G. Stribling Anderson, S. C., Ptolemy Summey, Dallas; Homer B. Ward, Echo; Clyde I.

TWO FARMERS KILLED

Had Sold Tobacco in Durham and Were Returning Home.

Returning Home.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DURLIAM, N. C., March 26.—An eastbound passenger train on the Southern
road this afternoon ran into a wagon
seven miles west of Durham, instantly
killing W. A., Cooper and R. L. Bowland,
two well known and well to do farmers
living in Caswell county. They left Durham, where they sold tobacco, less than
two hours before the accident. The bodies
of the men were brought back to Durham on the train that killed them, and
after being prepared for burial at an undertaking casabishment, the bodies were
taken to Mebane on the westbound train
late to-night. From there the trip home
will be made through the country.
Cooper, the oldest of the two, was fortyfour years of age, married and leaves a
wife and one daughter. The other man
was his nephew and was twenty-one years
old. They sold tobacco here to-day, for

was his nephew and was twenty-one years cid. They sold tobacco here to-day, for which they received nearly \$300.

The point where they were killed is a very dangerous crossing, and several have been killed there in the past. The cross-

impossible to see a train more twenty or thirty steps.

RAILROAD WINS

to the Pamlico Railroad.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWBERN, N. C., March 28.—An election was held in the city yesterday for
the purpose of deciding for or against a
subscription by the city of Newbern of
\$50,000 to the capital stock of the PamilcoOriental and Western Railway Company,
which resulted in favor of the subscription by a majority of 318. The subscription will be made in \$1,000 bonds to run
thirty years, at five per cent interest

great advantage to the city, and will bring in a considerable amount of trade from the country traversed. This will necessitate the construction of a railway bridge across the Neuse River, which is a mile wide at this place.

A representative of the Hoinz pickle concorn has been in the city with a view to establishing a pickle factory, and has contracted with the farmers in the county for several hundred across of cucumbers.

OFFICERS ELECTED

First Regiment May Hold Encampment at Chickamauga.

at Chickamauga.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 26.—At a meeting of the officers of the First North Carolina Regiment, held in this city today, T. R. Robertson, of Charlotte, was elected colonel; George E. Butler, of Clinton, lieutenant-colonel, and J. F. Gardner, of Shelby, major.

It is the wish of the newly elected, colonel that the coming encampment be held at Chickamagau Park. If this idea is carried out the sovernment will transport the troops, who will be furnished subsistence and be paid regular army pay during the term of encampment.

The Appearance of Antique Silver GORHAM SILVER POLISH

Produces the fine clean finish peculiar to old English plate All responsible sy tents a package

several dwellings are in course of erec-tion, and considerable amount of real es-tate has recently exchanged hands. Work is being rapidly gushed on the addition is being rapidly pushed on the additional being made to the Henderson cotton mill. The mills at present use 1,800 bales of motton per month. When the addition is completed they will probably use about 2,000 bales, and give employment to nearly 1,000 operatives. These mills are among the most prosperous in the State.

IN GREENSBORO

Elks Will Soon Erect a New and Hand-

aome Lodge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GRIENSBORO, N. C., March 28.—The Lodge of Elks here had a large and enthusiastic meeting last night. Reports of the past year showed a 'great gain in membership and financial strength. It is proposed to at once take steps to erect an Elks' Lodge within the coming year, to be one of the handsomest and most commodious in the State. The following officers were elected; Exalted Ruier, L. J. Brandt; Exteemed Leading Knight, P. D. Gold, Jr.; E. Loyal Knight, Prof. R. C. Brown; E. Lecturer, R. D. Douglas; Secretary, Ernest Clapp; Treasurer, D. H. Collins; Tiler, E. Moore; Trustees, Lee H. Battle, C. M. Vanstory, C. G. Wright; Esquire, C. N. Cone; Inner G., V. B. White; Finance Committee, David Dreytus, John M. Dick, Dr. L. M. Humphrey

court building is \$01,000, and work on the extension will begin in May. In addition to the Hendrix building, eleven rooms have been rented in the Southern Loan and Trust Company building for the use of Judge Boyd, Clerk Trogden, Marshal Millikin and his deputies, and United States Commissioner Wolf. The quarters secured are most eligible and convenient, being on the same square as the government building.

as the government building.

The United States District Court was pened this morning, and Judes

pany with Dr. McIver, drove our to Guilford College. At 2 o'clock the Gover-nor addressed a large audience attendant on the closing exercises of the graded school there, the first rural graded school established in the State. To-morrow he will deliver an educational address at

Oak Ridge, 8: Horner's, 4. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GRDENSBORO, N. C., March 26.—In a GREENSBORO, N. C., March 26.—In a good game of ball here, Oak Ridge Institute defeated Horner's Military School team, 8 to 4. Batteries: Oak Ridge—Lyon and Markham; Horner's—Dawson and Turner, Score: Oak Ridge—Hits, 1½ errors, 2. Horner—Hits, 3; errors, 2. Umpire, Suggs.

Postoffice Burglarized.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., March 28.—The postoffice at Flat Rock, in Henderson country, was burglarized at an early hour this morning, and over \$700 in stamps and cash secured. Not only was the safe completely demolished, but a large hole was blown through the store building in which the postoffice was located. No clue to the robbery has been obtained.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MT, AIRY, N. C., March 26.—Rev. B.
A. Wanless, pastor of the Loe-Street
Methodist Church, of Rosnoke, and Miss Ethel Earn, daughter of Captain and Mrs W. Earp, of Mount Asiry, were mar-ed here yesterday, Rev. F. L. Town-

Base-ball at Charlottesville.

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Building in Henderson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)

HENDERSON, N. C., Mirch 28,—Much building is now in progress in Henderson,

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A Handsome \$15 Mandolin will be given away Absolutely Free to the customer purchasing the largest amount of music from to-morrow, March 16th, to Wednesday, April 1st. Out prices in music continues. Don't fail to attend the big sale.

FERGUSSON BROS.

II WEST BROAD STREET.

NEW LIQUOR BILL WILL BE OFFERED

One to Let the People Decide About the Sale of

A bill will soon be introduced in the Senate to regulate the sale of liquor, wine, ardent spirits, &c., outside of inure has been drawn and reads as follows:

by of Virginia, That no license to sail liquor, wine, ardent spirits, &c., shall be granted to any borson, firm or corporation, anywhere in the Commonwealth of Virginia, outside of incorporated towns and offices, except as is hereinafter pro-

2. Whenever one-third of the qualified 2. Whenever one-third of the qualified voters of any district outside of an incorporated city or town shall petition the Circuit Court of the county for an election to be held in said district to ascertain the sense of the voters as to whether there shall be a sale of liquor in said district or not, then in that event, the said Circuit Court shall order an election to be held and if it appear that a majority of the said voters vote in favor of the sale of liquor, wine &o., then said court may grant license to an applicant as is now provided for by law; provided, however, that no license shall be granted to such applicant to sell liquor, wine and ardent spirits, except by retail and not to be drank where sold.

3. This act shall be in force from its 3. This act shall be in force from it

IN FAYETTEVILLE

Historic Fayetteville Independent Light

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., March 28.—I Cumberland Superior Court yesterday af-

the benefit of the Fayetteville Indep

Looking the wrong way as he stood on top of a freight car of a train on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad tracks on Mumford Street, Flagman McDonald was yesterday knocked from the car by a projection from the warehouse of Messrs. Culbreth and Hüske, sustaining, however, only slight injuries.

Andrew McArthur, the negro shot some lights since in Pearce's Mill township by

The Cape Pear and Kalleger Railroad has executed a mortgage for \$10,000 to the Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York for funds to complete its line from Lillington, Harnott county, to Fayetteville, a distance of about twenty-five water through a fine timber and farming

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

at Danville Yesterday.

Murder Trial at Abingdon.

Forced to Sell Farm.

GRAVEL HILL. VA., March 26.—Mr. GRAVEL HILL. VA., March 26.—Mr. near Gold Hill. to Profesor F. W. Boatwright, of Richmond College. He was forced to do this to get the means to pay his son's expenses at the hospital and a lawyer to defend him when tried for the murder of Miss Morris in Richmond a short time ago.

Lowered the Record.

(By Associated Press.)

PINEHURST, N. C., March 28.—B. A.

Freeman, of Montolair Golf Club, lowered the amateur record of the Pinehurst course two strikes to-day with a card of 18.

In the stomach.

Detective Cornish 28 called to the stand as the final witness to testify constant and as the final witness to testif

Spirits.

1. Be it enacted by the General Assem-

Andrew McGrittur, the legic solt solte inghts since in Pearce's Mill township by Warren Carver, was brought up to-day to the Marsh-Highsmith Hospital on Green Street for treatment of his wounds. The board of trustees of the Fayette-ville graded school decided at the last meeting to close the session of both up-town and down-town schools on the 10th

Fayetteville Camp. 852. United Confec-erate Veterans, meets to-morrow to elect officers, and especially a commander to succeed the lamented Captain J. B.

Opening Meeting of the Annual Session

at Danville Yesterday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DANVILLE, VA., March 26.—The Virginia Conference of the Epworth League opened its annual session in the Main-Street Methodist Church here to-night. The conference was called to order and the purposes of the meeting were stated by Rev. G. F. Green, of Blackstone. This was followed by an address of welcome by Rev. T. McN. Simpson, of the Main-Street Church. This address of welcome was replied to in behalf of the visitors by Rev. E. T. Dadmun. The principal speaker of the evening was Rev. H. M. DuBolse, of Nashville, Tenn., who is the general secretary of the Epworth League and editor of the Epworth Fra. There is a large number of delegates and visitors in the city, and the session promises to be one of great interest.

Murder Trial at Abingdon.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

ABINGDON, VA., March 28.—The trial of Ella Baker Gray for the killing of C. M. Lester alias Chester, a drummer for Brooks, Meade & Co., of Roanoke, resulted in lengthy contentions and discussions between the attorneys to-day, and disclosed very little new evidence.

The marriage certificate in November last between Richard Gray and the defendant being submitted, the prosecution announced its case closed, and court adjourned till 9 o'clock in the morning.

CORDES, MOSBY & CO.

A Sensational Sale of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Apparel HALVED PRICES CUT EXACTLY IN HA

of our last season's stock of these, all good, serviceable and well made and, in every instance, marked at one fourth their former prices.

Tailored Suits.

Two Special Lots; Ridiculously Low Priced.

Our entire stock of last season's Walking and Dress Suits, seventy-four in number, which we have put in two and marked at prices that will double quick them out of our house. In every instance they are good, serviceable and well made—in fact, only such qualities Pongee and Black China Silk Waists as you expect to find only here. The materials are cloths, cheviots and miltonettes; colors black, navy, tan, gray, brown, green and fancy mixtures. Jackets made etons.

Lot No. 1. All suits that were sold at \$15,00, \$18,50 and \$6.98 \$19.50, now, choice.....

Lot No. 2. All suits that were \$20.00, \$22.00, \$25.00, \$27.50 \$8.98 and \$30.00, now choice........

Walking & Dress Skirts One Extra Value:

Ridiculously Low Priced.

About seventy-five of last season's Walking and Dress Skirts, of cheviot and meltonette colors black and tan. Skirts nicely trimmed with stitched band of taffeta and cloth. Former prices, \$4.50 to \$1.98

At Less Than Half Price.

15 Waists of last season's goods, nicely made, good and serviceable. Former prices, \$4.50 to \$6.98. \$1.98

Nicely Made Percale Wrappers At Very Little Figures.

Nicely made of good quality percale, light gray.

Stripes. Former prices \$1.25 to 89C

Nicely made of good quality percale, light gray.

Lot 1—\$5.98 to \$8.00 ones now..........\$3.98

Lot 2—\$8.00 to \$12.00 ones now.........\$6.48

Lot 3—\$12.00 to \$20.00 ones now.......\$9.48

Silk Etons

Of Extra Quality Taffeta Or Peau de Soie,

But Ridiculously Low Priced. Some are tucked, some corded and some

4 Taffeta Silk Etons, \$4.98

Silk Petticoats. Three Special Values.

Made beautifully of extra quality taffeta silks, out full and wide, wide dust ruffle, with

Owing to the extreme low prices on these and the limited quantity of any one kind, none will be sent on approval, altered or exchanged. CORDES. MOSBY & CO. CORDES, MOSBY & CO. CORDES, MOSBY & CO.

the kitchen window was open, while Mag-gic Murray testified that they were in Mrs. Hull's room at the time. Witness een the children that morning before seen the children that morning before she went down stairs, nor having heard the remark, "Why, I just heard pape go down stairs." Witness remembered Burdick having forced his wife to give him the key to her letter-box. She had never seen the contents of the box. Witness said she was not in the cellar on the morning the murder was discovered, either before or after the discovery, "What were your relations with Mr.

"Did you ever appeal to him to let Mrs. Burdick alone?"

"Yes, on two occasions. The first time I wrote him a very sarrest letter. I appealed to his pride, telling him that any one who had been a guest in the house should be above making trouble in our home. I am sure if the man had any heart or decency that appeal would have been sufficient."

Mrs. Hull testified that she wrote nell again last May.

"He sent a very cold reply," she said,
"In which he said he would not be driven
out of Buffalo, that there was a better

way to settle the matter."
"Did you ever meet him after that?"
"Yes, I met him once. He tried to raise
his hat to me, but I looked the other

"And what were his feelings

"I do not know. LOOKED OLDER. Mrs Hull made a more favora

Mrs. Hull made a more favorable impression while on the witness stand today than she did during her first examination. The lines of her resolute face were relaxed. She gave more evidence of feeling and interst, and her voice was that of a woman who had become weary of it all. She looked older and there was something more venerable and kindly in her redned face.

Maggie Murray, the servant, was re-

her redned face.

Maggie Murray, the servant, was recalled. She repeated her story that she
went up stairs to Mrs. Hull's room to
tell her about finding the kitchen window tell her about finding the kitchen wanted open and the den door closed. She said sie was not down stairs when she gave Mrs. Hull that information.
"While you were in the hall up stairs did Carol say, 'Why, I just heard papa so down stairs?"

"Yes, sir."
"Where was she at that time?"
"Standing in the door way of her fa-

"You are sure it was Carol?"
"Yes, sir." "Yes, sir."
The object of bringing out this testimon

"Yes, sir."
The object of bringing out this testimony apparently was to show that somebody had been moving about the house in the morning.
"Do you know who it was Carol heard going down stairs?" asked the court.
"No, I do not."
When the hearing was resumed after recess, Judge Murphy said:
"No more witnesses will be called in the Burdick inquest, either now or later op. The Pennell inquest will be begun at 10 o'clock on Monday morning and will be a separate and distinct investigation."
Mr. Coateworth then read the report of Chemist Hill on the examination of Burdick's stomach, a goil stick and the contents of the bottle found on the table in the den.
The report on the contents of the bottle was to the effect that it contanied no traces of druge or poisons. No blood or traces of blood were found on the goil stick.

BLOODY FINGER PRINTS. In the stmach some alcohol was found. In addition there were particles of fut having the smell of butter. Everything in the stomach was thoroughly disested. No trace of any drug or polson was found in the stomach.

found lying across the calves of the mur

The only bloodstain on them was a spot about two inches long and an inch wide directly back of the right knee.

Cornieh said he notized what resembled bloody finger marks on the dead man's legs. There were no cracker crumbs on the plate or table, and the crackers had not been eaten in the den. The cocktail glasses apparently had been used.

Detective Coughlin, one of the first of the police officials to reach the Burdick home after the murder, was the next wilness. He said that he examined Burdick's bedroom and found a vest on the sofa in the bedroom. In one of the pocksofa in the bedroom. In one of the pock-ats was a roll of bills containing \$44. There was no watch or any other ar-

It will be remembered that Burdick's coat and trousers were found in his den "So far as we now know, no other wit-nesses will be called in this case," said nesses will be called in this case," said Judge Murphy, after Detective Coughlin had been excused, "This closes the Burdick inquest."

Judge Murphy said after adjournment that the statement which he will deliver, embodying his opinion on the submitted, will not be given out until next week.

HASKINS AND LEE

Amelia and Nottoway.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch BLACKSTONE, VA., March BLACKSTONE, VA., March 28.—In cards which will appear in the local paper to-morrow, Hon. H. E. Lee and Colonel Meade Haskins both make their announcements as candidates for the Legislature from Nottoway and Amelia countles to succeed Hon. R. G. Southall, resigned.

It is not thought probable that any

resigned.

It is not thought probable that any primary will be held, as the time will doubtless be too short in which to hold one. Nor is it thought that any other candidates will offer, but that the fight will be between these two.

Mr. Lee is a prominent and popular young attorney and Mayor of Crewe, where he has had several political fights in local and county affairs. He is residued to the Auti-Sein local and county affairs.

young attorney and Mayor or Crew, where he has had several political fights in local and county affairs. He is regarded as the candidate of the Anti-Saloon League, while others who take opposite views on that question have been among those urging him to become a candidate.

Colonel Haskins is well-known in Richmond, as he is at his home here, and is regarded as an able attorney. The race between these two will doubtiess be very interesting, although there are those already who say they can plok the winner. It is thought by some that this fight way take in State interest on account of the known activity the advocates of the Mann bill will assume in the contest. Another temperance meeting is boing held at the Baptist Church to-night preparatory to the local option election to be held in the town to-morrow. paratory to the local option of be held in the town to-morrow.

Girl Fatally Burned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA. March 20.—Miss
Hattle Scabright, aged eighteen years,
and daughter of James W. Scabright, a
prominent contractor and builder, was
fatally burned at her home inte this
afternoon while burning brush in the
yard. Her dress caught fire from a
spark, and she was almost immediately
enveloped in flames.

Married in Richmond.

Married in Michimond.

(Sheelal to The Times-Dispatch.)

(RAVIDL, HILL, VA., March 28.—Mr.,

Bernard Camden and Miss Jossie Atkinson, of this county, were married in Richmond on yesterday. Both are very pepular and have many friends, who wish them a very happy life. They will be at home to friends after April 18th.

From Richmond they went to Newport News, Washington and Haltinore.

Everett-Moffett.

Special to The Times Disputch.)
SUFFOIK, VA., March 28.—Mr Elisha
L. Everett, a well known farmer of Nansemond county, this evening about a
colock was married to Miss Louise C.
Mofit, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. P.
Burrett, in Norfolk, Mrs. Barrett is the
bridegroom's sister. The bride is a daughter of John Wesley Mofit, of Charles City
county, Va. She was teaching school
near Driver, not far from Mr. Eyerett's
home.

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DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE YEAR. Accident, Health, Linbility, Fidelity. 76,285 42 \$11,000 02 \$01,855 98 \$11,000 92 \$671,800 87 \$18,672 56

8,080 65 1,013 85 5,626 78 commission account.

Salaries and all other compensation of officers, \$17,185.51; home office employes, \$23,849.52; and all other compensation of officers, \$17,185.51; home office employes, \$23,849.52; and \$20,000.73; and

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Health. 1,040 00
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THOMAS L. ALFRIEND & SON. AGENTS, NO. 1115 EAST MAIN STREET.

his oldest daughter, Miss Annie Elisabeth
Dennie, became the bride of Mr. C. rge
O., and will spend their honeymoon is
that city and in Charleston and Savannah, Unon returning to Suffolk they will
be at home, at No. Stilly Street

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